

HOUSE BILL 119

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By: **Delegate Krebs**

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Assigned to: Appropriations

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Town of Sykesville Employees – Participation in the Employees’ ~~Retirement~~**
3 **Pension System – Creditable Service**

4 FOR the purpose of altering a provision of law so as to require certain employees of the
5 Town of Sykesville to receive service credit in the Employees’ Pension System of
6 the State of Maryland for at least a certain percentage of certain prior service
7 with the Town of Sykesville; requiring the Town of Sykesville to submit certain
8 information to the Board of Trustees of the State Retirement and Pension
9 System under certain circumstances, on or before a certain date; and generally
10 relating to employees of the Town of Sykesville participating in the Employees’
11 Pension System.

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
13 Article – State Personnel and Pensions
14 Section 31–111.5
15 Annotated Code of Maryland
16 (2009 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
18 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

19 **Article – State Personnel and Pensions**

20 31–111.5.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 (a) **(1)** ~~As~~ **SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, AN**
 2 individual who is an employee of the Town of Sykesville on the effective date shall
 3 receive eligibility service and creditable service in the Employees' Pension System
 4 equal to **AT LEAST 75%** of the individual's period of employment with the Town of
 5 Sykesville before the effective date as certified by the Town of Sykesville as of the
 6 effective date.

7 **(2) THE PERCENTAGE OF AN INDIVIDUAL'S PERIOD OF**
 8 **EMPLOYMENT WITH THE TOWN OF SYKESVILLE FOR WHICH AN INDIVIDUAL MAY**
 9 **RECEIVE ELIGIBILITY SERVICE AND CREDITABLE SERVICE IN THE EMPLOYEES'**
 10 **PENSION SYSTEM UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION, SHALL BE**
 11 **EQUAL TO A PERCENTAGE DIVISIBLE BY 5.**

12 (b) If an employee or former employee of the Town of Sykesville becomes a
 13 member of the Employees' Pension System at any time after the effective date, the
 14 employee may not receive service credit for employment with the Town of Sykesville
 15 before the effective date.

16 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before June 30,**
 17 **2012, if the Town of Sykesville becomes a participating governmental unit of the State**
 18 **Retirement and Pension System, the Town of Sykesville shall notify the Board of**
 19 **Trustees of the State Retirement and Pension System of the exact percentage of an**
 20 **individual's period of employment with the Town of Sykesville for which an individual**
 21 **may receive eligibility service and creditable service in the Employees' Pension**
 22 **System.**

23 **SECTION ~~2~~ 3.** AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take
 24 effect July 1, 2011.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.